

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DAVID HARRIS, <i>et al.</i> ,	:	
Plaintiffs,	:	
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v.	:	No. 22-cv-3715
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SECRETARY GEORGE LITTLE,	:	
<i>et. al.</i> ,	:	
Defendants.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of July, 2023, in consideration of Defendants’ Motion to Dismiss, Plaintiffs’ Response, and for the reasons given in the Opinion issued this date, it **IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Motion, ECF No. 53, is **DENIED in part and GRANTED in part** as follows:

1. All claims against Defendant “PA DOC” are **dismissed with prejudice**. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate PA DOC as a defendant in this matter.
2. All claims against Defendant Former Secretary Jeffrey Beard are **dismissed with prejudice**. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Former Secretary Jeffrey Beard as a defendant in this matter.
3. All claims against Defendant Former Secretary John Wetzel **in his official capacity** are **dismissed with prejudice**.
4. All claims for **money damages** against Defendant Secretary George Little **in his official capacity** are **dismissed with prejudice**.
5. Defendant’s Motion is **DENIED** in all other respects.

6. The Clerk of Court is directed to remove the gavel from ECF No. 61.¹

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Joseph F. Leeson, Jr.

JOSEPH F. LEESON, JR.

United States District Judge

¹ ECF No. 61 was docketed as a motion, but it is actually Plaintiffs' Response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss.